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House Resolution 933

By: Representative Hatfield of the 177<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Candice Walker; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Candice Walker is the state recipient of the 2004 Georgia Occupational Award
- 3 of Leadership (GOAL), the first program of its type in the nation to honor outstanding
- 4 students in postsecondary technical colleges; and
- 5 WHEREAS, GOAL brings together Georgia's business, government, and industry leaders
- 6 with the state's technical colleges to celebrate technical education's vital impact on Georgia's
- 7 workforce, prosperity, and future; and
- 8 WHEREAS, for more than 33 years, the GOAL program has served as an excellent example
- 9 of a true partnership among business, industry, and education; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Ms. Walker was selected from among 37 local technical college GOAL winners
- who have demonstrated excellent academic and leadership ability at their respective technical
- 12 colleges; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Ms. Walker is a Radiologic Technology student from Okefenokee Technical
- 14 College who has volunteered with organizations such as Juvenile Diabetes, the March of
- 15 Dimes, and the American Cancer Society and serves as the secretary for Okefenokee
- 16 Technical College's Student Government Association; and
- 17 WHEREAS, Ms. Walker will serve as an ambassador for technical education in Georgia,
- 18 representing more than 159,000 students benefiting from technical education programs
- 19 throughout the state.
- 20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 21 the members of this body commend Candice Walker for her outstanding achievements and
- 22 her efforts to promote technical education in Georgia and convey their congratulations.

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized

2 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Candice Walker.